Pleas Hereb7 the honour of her Majesty, the justice of the realm, and the safety of merchants using traffic with those countries is in question , for by the often granting of such prohibitions the pursuit of causes is so tedious and chargeable to the complainants that either they are enforced to give over then- suits or else to spend far more in charges than their principal amounts unto, oftentimes to their utter undoing and to the great slander of justice Mr Sergeant Yelverton, Mr Attorney, Mr Solicitor and Mr Francis Bacon are therefore instructed to meet and consider how such prohibitions ought to be awarded

DESERTERS FROM IRELAND

The Mayor and officers of the ports adjoining to Ireland are straitly ordered that if any soldiers come in ships from Ireland without passports, they are to be committed to gaol And for such as show passports, if they be sick or maimed they shall be suffered to pass, but if they be able men their passports shall be sent to the Council, for there is a new and more straight charge given to the Lord Deputy that no private captain ought to give a passport to any soldier but such as are appointed by the State or the Provincial Governors Such able soldiers shall be imprested anew and sent back with the next shipping Especial care also shall be taken that such of these soldiers as give forth slanderous speeches to discourage others and cover their lewdness in shifting away shall be committed to prison

loth February WILL KEMP'S WAGER

Will Kemp the clown hath wagered that he will dance from London to Norwich, and this morning before 7 of the clock is set forward from the Lord Mayor's towards the Mayor of Norwich, accompanied by Thomas Sly his taborer

and George
Sprat that is appointed for his overseer. At his departure
many gave him bowed sixpences and groats, blessing him with
hearty prayers and God-speeds Through Whitechapel, Mile
End and Stratford Bow he passed with great throngs of people
accompanying him , and here he rested for a while from dancing
but had small rest from those that would have urged him to
drinking Thence they went on to Stratford Langton and so to
Ilford where the people would have had him drink carouses in
the great spoon From Ilford he set forward by moonshine,